# Claire M. Lindsey

# **EDUCATION**

# Amherst Regional High School, Amherst, MA

2018 - Present Currently a senior at Amherst Regional High School.

## Pioneer Valley Chinese Immersion Charter School, Hadley, MA

#### 2009 - 2015

Attended the Pioneer Valley Chinese Immersion Charter School from Kindergarten through sixth grade and became proficient in reading and speaking Mandarin.

# The Island School, Cape Eleuthera, Bahamas

#### Summer Term II 2021

Selected to attend this competitive program. Excelled in all 3 courses: Tourism and Development, Marine Ecology, and Sustainable Systems.

## Golden Bear Pharmacy Camp- Western New England College

#### July 2018

Chosen to attend this weeklong hands-on program about careers in pharmacy and the pharmaceutical sciences. Highlights included conducting experiments on extracting strawberry DNA and learning the physiology behind how addictive substances affect the brain.

# **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

## Women's Rights Club - Member

11,12

Raise awareness of impacts of gender inequity globally, locally, and in our own lives. Held a Consent Week to educate our student body.

# Sunrise Movement Amherst - Member

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Discuss, lobby, table, and petition for issues of racial inequity and climate justice in our town government and at the state and national level.

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# AWARDS

June 2021 - Art Department Award for Excellence and Commitment in Fine Art (11)

June 2021 - Science Department Award for Curiosity (11)

June 2021 – English Department Award for Excellence (11) – "This student has exceeded expectations in reading, writing, speaking, and the interpretation of literature."

Selected for ARHS Art Show (11)

Honor Roll (11)

August 2021- The Island School - selected as a Community Leader

# LANGUAGES

Proficient in Mandarin

# Amherst Varsity Lacrosse - Team Member

9, 10 (cancelled due to COVID), 11, 12 (all varsity)

Assist the Coach and captains in leading practices; work with the younger, newer players in small groups or 1-1. Help convey the value of teamwork and the value of each individual player.

#### Amherst Cross Country - Team Member

12

Lead and support younger team members during and beyond practice.

# Amherst Volleyball - Team Member

9, 10

Started playing JV volleyball my freshman year and was given the Most Improved *Player* award at the end-of-season banquet.

# WORK EXPERIENCE

# Trader Joe's Hadley- Crew Member

Summer 2020 - present (part time)

One of only four high school students hired at our local store. Responsible for register duties, stocking shelves, inventory, and sharing the Trader Joe's positive culture and brand.

## Amherst Survival Center – Summer Volunteer

Summer 2020

Worked several days per week at the Amherst Survival Center, serving lunches and to-go food to community members experiencing food insecurity during the pandemic.

# Mount Snow Adaptive Ski School - Volunteer Instructor

December 2018 - March 2019

Volunteered weekends at Mount Snow Adaptive Ski School in Vermont, teaching and assisting with ski lessons for children and teens with disabilities.

## Sugarloaf Youth Track League - Coach

Summer 2018, Summer 2019

Invited to coach a team of about 40 kids, ages 5-12 during the summers of 2018 and 2019.